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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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FIREPROOF PRECAST ELEMENT WITH SECUREMENT STRUCTURE

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT Commissioner of Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

A one-month extension of time and fee of \$60 are believed to be necessary, and the extension of time is requested. If additional extensions of time are required, the extensions are hereby requested. If any other fees are required for the prosecution of the application, please charge the fees to Deposit Account No. 50-2816.

Applicant received an Office Action that was mailed on December 15, 2005. Applicant submits the following amendments and remarks and respectfully-submits that the claims are in condition for allowance.